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DECISION ON PETITION

In re Application of:  
Christopher H. Contag et al.  
Serial No. 08/270,631  
Filed: July 1, 1994  
For: NON-INVASIVE LOCALIZATION  
OF A LIGHT-EMITTING  
CONJUGATE IN A MAMMAL

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.84(b), filed October 23, 1996, to accept photographic drawings in this application.

At the outset, any inconvenience the delay in treating this petition may have caused applicants is deeply regretted.

The petition has been reviewed and it is found to be in compliance with the requirements as set forth in 37 CFR 1.84(b) in that the following have been submitted along with the petition: (1) the appropriate fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h) and (2) three sets of photographs developed on double weight photographic paper or permanently mounted on Bristol board. Accordingly, the petition is granted.

PETITION GRANTED.

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